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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

Sir:

The undersigned attorney of record makes this statement in support of the applicant's PETITION for withdrawal of the Notification of Abandonment (pursuant to MPEP §711.03(c)).

- On July 31, 2001, applicant filed the above-identified new National Stage
 Application Under PCT.
- 2. No further communication in this matter was received by the applicant's attorneys prior to the receipt on June 11, 2002 of a "Notification of Abandonment" mailed May 29, 2002.
- 3. Applicant's attorney declares under the penalty of perjury that no Notification of Missing Requirements was ever received, nor was a deadline for submitting the required items entered into our callup system for 11/14/2001, as would

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have been expected if the Notification were actually received. Our callup entry log for November 2001 is absent any entries whatever pertaining to a deadline in this application.

- A significant amount of correspondence mailed by the USPTO during the 4. last quarter of 2001 has not been received. This application is but one of many in which our office has been required to take this type of remedial action owing to the nonreceipt of allegedly mailed USPTO correspondence.
- It is respectfully requested, in view of the foregoing facts, i.e. the non-5. receipt of a Notification of Missing Requirements, that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn and that a new Notification of Missing Requirements be issued.

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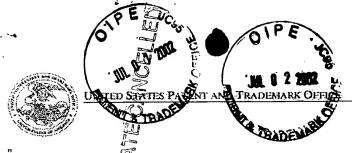
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NOTIFICATION OF ABANDONMENT

The United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494), has made the following determination:

 Applicant has failed to respond to the netification of MISSING REQUIREMENTS, mailed 09/14/2001 within the time period set therein.

Therefore, the above identified application failed to meet the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.494, and is ABANDONED AS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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